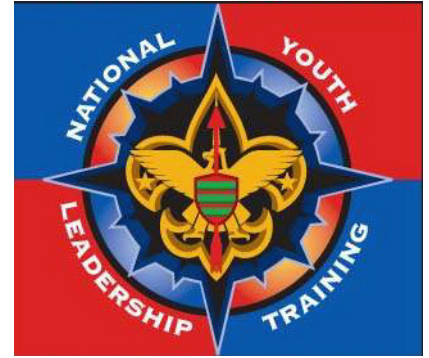


NATIONAL YOUTH LEADERSHIP TRAINING

**Are You a Leader in Your Troop
or Do You Want to Be?**

Then this program is for YOU!



What: The Boy Scouts of America has developed a new and improved leadership training course that will prove valuable in training Boy Scouts in leadership skills. The course will be known nationally as "National Youth Leadership Training". This year we will call our Yucca Council version, "The Yucca Challenge – 2010".

When: June 7, 2010 – June 12, 2010

Where: Camp Dale Resler near Cloudcroft, NM

Who: Boy Scouts that have achieved the rank of 1st Class, are 13 years old and finished with the 7th grade, have one year of Boy Scout summer camp experience and are recommended by their Scoutmaster.

How much: Total cost for the course is \$125 with a non-refundable deposit of \$90 due by April 12, 2010. The remaining balance of fess is due by May 10, 2010. A \$10 late fee will apply for payments made after May 10.

"Fun," "Challenge," "Adventure," "Learning," "Excitement!" That's how Scouts describe the National Youth Leadership Training or NYLT. Strengthen your skills, improve your knowledge, become a better leader at the Yucca Council's "*Yucca Challenge "2010"- National Youth Leadership Training*". Enjoy a challenging six-day outdoor training program for key youth leaders. This will be your best chance to "Learn Leadership," "Make New Friends," and "Gain New Skills." The conference will help you become a better leader and a better Scout.

You will experience the excitement of being a key player in a troop of top leaders. You will share ideas with other great Scouts from all over the Council. An outstanding staff will offer you the leadership and Scouting skills necessary to be a more effective leader in your troop while you are experiencing the fun and challenge of Scouting at its best.

Advanced Scout Craft and Outdoor Skills

You will learn advanced pioneering, specialty cooking, and many other outdoor skills. You will go on an overnight backpacking trip with your patrol. You will learn how to help make these things happen in Your Own Troop.

Exciting Meetings, Activities, and Campfires

Participate in and learn about model Troop, Patrol, and Patrol Leader Council meetings. Along with other

Scouts, you will learn how to use games and contests to make Scouting more fun and learn new ways to make campfires sparkle. You'll learn ways to make Scouting exciting at every meeting.

Experience Scouting At Its Best

During the course, you will camp, work, play, and learn as part of a patrol in a model Troop. Your Patrol will be assisted by a trained youth staff member and an Assistant Scout Master who will help you to succeed.

Learn Leadership Skills

Being a GOOD leader can be a challenge. This course will provide you special training in eleven skills of leadership. It explains what they are, how you can use them, and gives you a chance to practice them. The skills covered include:

- Communicating
- Knowing and using the Resources of the Group
- Understanding the Needs and Characteristics of the Group
- Effective Teaching
- Counseling
- Evaluating
- Planning
- Representing the Group
- Controlling the Group
- Sharing Leadership
- Setting the Example

Built on a Legacy of Training Success

Built on the legacy of past Scout training successes, the conference integrates the best of modern leadership theory with the traditional strengths of Scouting experiences. YOU will gain the skills and confidence to lead well.

When Is It?

The “*Yucca Challenge “08” – NYLT*” conference will begin on June 8, 2008 and end on June 15, 2008.

Where Is It?

The course will be held at Camp Dale Resler, near Cloudcroft, NM.

Who Can Attend?

You must want to participate: to learn, to have fun, to camp, to lead, to compete, to do your best! Scouts must be at least 13 years old and have completed the seventh grade, be First Class rank, and have one year of Boy Scout summer camp experience. This program is for youth leaders in a Troop or for Scouts who will be leaders.

For More Information:

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